ABSTRACT

Musical Ability and Income Musicians
(Studies in Musicians in Railway Station of Prabumulih, Palembang, Sum-Cells)

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This research aim to explain or describe musical ability and income singers in Prabumulih railway station, Palembang, Sum-Sel. The approach of this research is qualitative research focused causes someone to be singers and musical ability to influence singers income. Techniques used in the process of collecting data in this study was conduct in-depth interviews to 8 informants, observation, library research, and documentation.

Results showed that there was a correlation between income singers musical ability, where singers will get good results when performance is also good singers in music. Singing activities have many variations, depends how the creativity of musicians by themselves. Abilities that of singers are needed and seen by an audience to assess how and where their attractiveness. Found of interesting facts behind the presence of singers that are so prevalent today, it turns out singers at the Prabumulih railway station clever in playing music and mastered many of the songs, so that people, especially passenger trains would not mind to give in return.

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